PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 18 December 1962 3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local GMT 18/0930-0940Z 5. PHOTOS DYOS EDNo	Huntington, W 4. TYPE OF OBSERVATIO EXGround-Visual Air-Visual 6. SOURCE Civilian	est Virginia N Ground-Rodor Air-Intercept Rodor	12. CONCLUSIONS Was Balloon Probably Balloon Possibly Balloon Was Aircraft Probably Aircraft Possibly Aircraft Possibly Aircraft Possibly Astronomical Possibly Astronomical Possibly Astronomical
less than 10 minutes one 10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Obj with less magnitude than Venus or Jupiter observed to appear stationary for about 5 minutes at which time it moved to the SE & out of sight in 5 mins more.		9. COURSE SE II. COMMENTS Satellite ECHO I was over the city at 427 AM EST to the North of the city at 51 dgr elevation moving SE in position to be observed by the witness. Case evaluated as ECHO I.	

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

Unidentified Flying Objects Reports,

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this sighting was made tuesday morning, between 4:30 and 4:40, December 18, 1962. the U.F.O. was nearest a star — or planet — about 45° above the horizon due East of Huntington, W.Va.

the star - or plane t -; I will refer to it as a star; is not Isnown to me. But, it may be identified as follows; it rises during the early morning hours about mid-way around the horizon between the Big Dipper and the rising point of the Morning star. It is a rapid traveler, reaches about 45° above the horizon between 4 A.M. and 4:30 A.M., approaches its zenith about dawn and fades out well before the Morning Star. Trating the Morning Star as No. 1 in size, brilliance and visibility, this star ranks

the U.F.O. was visible to me as a point of I light, rankling about No.4 or No.5 in size, brilliance and visibility, next to the star I use as a locater point.

I first noticed the U.F.O. while looking at the star and wondered about a star of that size in that location. I did not recall ever having seen as tar of that size that close and paid particular attention

to both bodies. the U.F.O. was motionless for a short time—not more than 5 minutes—then suddenly moved down and south toward the star I use as a locater point as in the diagram U.F.O.

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Horizon

Line

Observation

Point

Read on a clock face, you could say that the U.F.O. Moved in a dead straight line from 11 o'clock to 5 O'clock on path C-D bisecting the light field of Star A. the distance traveled below the Star was considerably more than the distance traveled above it. It reached a point about 30° above the horizon then disappeared in the mist and fog.

Weather conditions: Clear, cool, a half-moon, some

stars, ground mist and haze which commonly hangs over the Ohio valley.

Observation time: About 4:30 A.M. Motionless for the first few minutes—not more than 5 minutes. In motion for a few minutes—not more than 5 minutes. Disappeared at 4:40 A.M. South and East of its flight line.

Observation point: An East window, top floor, Main office — the West Virginia Works, Connors Steel Div. of H. 18. Porter Co. Inc. North-East Sector of Huntington, W. Va.

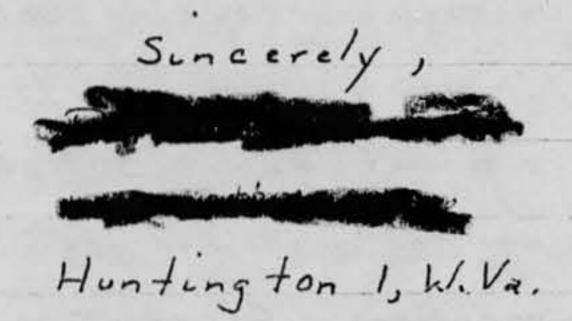
Note. the U.F.O. was too far away to see either

tail, superstructure or vapor trail. It was

visible only as a point of light which so

much resembled a star I first tool(it to

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AT 04.37 AR DEC. 218 NORTH OF CITY, 73 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 05.43 AM DEC. 119 SOUTH OF CITY, 54 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 08,25 PM DEC. 119 SOUTH DE CITY, OB DECREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING ME
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 AT 04.43 AM DEC. 220 NORTH OF CITY, 78 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 05.50 AF DEC. 121 SOUTH OF CITY, 44 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
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 AT 04.37 AM DEC. 118 NORTH OF CITY, 79 DEGREES ABOVE MORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 05.44 AM DEC. 119 SOUTH OF CITY, 48 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOYING SE
 AT 04,45 AM DEC. J20 SOUTH OF CITY, 77 DEGREES ADOVE HORIZON HOVING SE
 AT 05.53 AM DEC. . 21 SOUTH OF CITY, 24 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 04-54 AM DEC. 122 SOUTH OF CITY, 49 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
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 AT 05-49 AM DEC. J21 SOUTH OF CITY, 49 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
AT 08.31 PM DEC. 121 SOUTH OF CITY, II DEGREES ABOVE HURITON MOVING NE
 AT 04.51 AM DEC. 122 SOUTH OF CITY, 79 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
AT 05.59 AF DEC. 123 SOUTH OF CITY, 25 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
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AT 114.33 AN DEC. 218 NORTH OF CITY, 73 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
AT 05-39 AM DEC. 119 SOUTH OF CITY, 53 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
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AT 08-21 PM DEC. 119 SOUTH OF CITY, 10 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOYING NE

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